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| FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING MAGNETIC SUSCEPTIBILITY |                   | )<br>Group Art:<br>)<br>)                    | Unknown          |  |
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Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements (copy attached hereto) mailed December 5, 2001, enclosed are the following documents:

(1) an executed Declaration for Patent Application; and,

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Respectfully submitted,

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## STATEMENT REGARDING USPS MAIL DELAYS

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The enclosed documents, "Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)", return receipt postcard, check in the amount of \$65.00 and the envelope addressed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office were mailed to the USPTO on the date of the certificate of mailing, i.e. February 4, 2002. For reasons unknown to us, these documents were returned to our offices on March 1, 2002.

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